DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.		*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	Not received.	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...		
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		

Agricultural operations.—

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in all the taluks the lands being got ready for sowing in the Anekal Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Groundnuts in parts of Bangalore and Magadi Taluks, punaji paddy in parts of Anekal, Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks, til (yellu) in parts of Nelamangala, Channapatna and Anekol Taluks; cholam in some parts of Nelamangala and Bangalore Taluks; haraka in some parts of Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks and Pasi ragi in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks is generally in good condition. Vysakhi paddy in Hoskote is in a fair condition. Cholam in Nelamangala and Magadi, til (yellu) in Magadi, paddy in Channapatna and mulberry in Closepet are also in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

Estimated outturn.—Nil.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair, and hopeful as there has been rain all over the district. More rain is wanted in Hoskote and Anekal Taluks. Food stuffs are available, but at high prices. Cooly classes find labour.

11. Except for cholera in Sulabele, Devanhalli and Vadigenahalli town and in the village of Avati in the Devanhalli Taluk and small-pox in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Channapatna, Anekal, Magadi and Closepet, public health is generally good. Two cases of cholera are reported to have occurred in Dodballapur Town.

12. Except for Dodroga in parts of Kankanhalli, Nelamangala, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk, cattle are healthy and water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Samé, sajje, haraka and gingelly seeds in parts of all the taluks, except Malur Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk. Punja paddy in parts of the Kolar and Srinivaspur Taluks. Gid ragi in parts of the Kolar, Mulbagal, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Chintamani, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing Crops.—Fair.

Distress.—Not reported from any taluk.

Food stock.—Sufficiently supplied, except ragi in some places. Burma rice imported is supplying the deficiency.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Promising. Prices of food grains, stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for cholera in parts of the Chintamani, Mulbagal and Chikballapur Taluks and small-pox in Kolar Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Rinderpest in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet and Chintamani Taluks. Pasture and water are available. Fodder not sufficient.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are adequately supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar-cane, til, jolam in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; groundnut, til and castor oil seeds in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi, Pavagada Taluks, Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; black gram and green gram in parts of Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur Taluks; paddy in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Tiptur Taluks; navane and baragu in parts of Sira, Gubbi Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; ragi in parts of Sira Taluk; toover in parts of Sira Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, jola, til, green gram, nat ragi, navane and naraka are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season reported to be fair. The recent showers of rain in all the taluks have cheered up the people who are busy in ploughing and sowing operations. The markets are reported to be adequately supplied.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Gubbi, Pavagada, Kunigal and Turuvekere and ague and fever in parts of Tiptur Taluk, the public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for Rinderpest in parts of Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and kept ready for showing ragi in Chamrajnagar and Yedatore Taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi in the taluks of Mysore and Hunsur; jola, til and tadaguni in Hunsur Taluk; togari in Hunsur and Yedatore Taluks; cotton in Yedatore Taluk; and paddy in Chamrajnagar Taluk.

Standing crops.—The standing crops are jola, ragi, togari, til, castor, cotton, sugar-cane, mulberry, avare, halasandi, green gram and kar paddy, which are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in Gundlupet (yield 8 annas) Taluk; and kar paddy in Nagamangala Taluk.

Damages to crops.—No damage is reported to be done to any crop by insects during the week.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Plague and cholera are reported to be prevalent in the taluks of Hunsur and Yedatore and small-pox in the taluks of Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, T. Narsipur, Mandya, Krishnarajapete and Nagamangala.

12. Except for Dodroga in the taluks of Chamarajnagar, Nanjangud and Krishnarajapete; and chapperoga in Nanjangud Taluk; and ane-roga (ಆನೆರೋಗ) in Mysore Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in the Hassan Taluk; paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, til, togari and cotton in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane and car paddy in the Channarayapatna Taluk; car paddy in the Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluk; paddy, sugar-cane and ragi in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Kar paddy is being harvested in parts of the Arsikere Taluk.

Agricultural operations.—Ragi and paddy are being sown in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; castor in the Arkalgud Taluk; cotton and sugar-cane in the Belur Taluk; transplantation of ragi and paddy is going on in parts of the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. No unusual movements of either men or of cattle anywhere have been reported.

11. Small-pox is abating in the Hassan Taluk; cholera in the Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; small-pox in the Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; plague in the Arkalgud Taluk are prevailing.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy and water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing of lands is going on in parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Paddy is being sown in parts of Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Til, black gram, green gram in parts of Honnali and Nagar Taluks and mungar ragi and savé in Honnali Taluk have been sown.

State of standing crops.—Newly planted sugar-cane in Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and paddy plants in Sorab, and *kar paddy* in parts of Sagar and Nagar Taluks are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Kar paddy is being harvested in parts of Sagar and Nagar Taluks.

10. Prices of food stuffs continue to be high.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Shimoga Taluk, public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Except for Rinderpest in Shankarapura village of Tirthahalli Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available in moderate quantities.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in parts of all the taluks and sub-taluks in the district.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—paddy. Chikmagalur Taluk—ragi. Kadur Taluk—cholam, til, green gram and black gram.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur, Kadur, Tarikere and Koppa Taluks—sugar-cane. Mudgere and Koppa Taluks—Kode-paddy. Koppa Taluk—paddy. Kadur Taluk—kar-paddy.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Kadur Taluk—sugar-cane and kar-paddy. Estimated yield, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available, but their prices continue to be very high. Burma rice is being sold at 4¾ seers per rupee in the Government Depots.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of Chikmagalur, Kadur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and ague in parts of Koppa Taluk, owing to the change of weather.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets well supplied in the taluks of Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Molakalmuru and Jagalur and Harihar Sub-Taluk, and moderately supplied in others.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane and cotton are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy, mungar jola, cotton, til, green gram, horse gram and black gram in the Chitaldrug Taluk; ragi, mungar jola, til, green gram, black gram, alasandi, togari and castor in the Challakere Taluk; jola, til, castor, togari, avare, black gram, alasandi and mungar jola in the Hiriyur Taluk; jola and til in the Holalkere Taluk; jola, cotton, paddy, til, castor, green gram, black gram and groundnut in the Davangere Taluk; jola, castor, sajje, togari and green gram in the Molakalmuru Taluk; jola, cotton, til, castor and togari in the Jagalur Taluk; jola, til, castor, horse gram and togari in the Hosdurga Taluk; navane, sajje, mungar jola, ragi, til and castor in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and cotton in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield 4 to 6 annas); paddy and cotton in the Hiriyur Taluk (yield 8 to 12 annas); paddy and sugar-cane in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield 8 to 12 annas).

10. Prospects of the season seem to be encouraging owing to the good showers during the week. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available in limited quantities.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good except for small-pox in some parts of the Chitaldrug Taluk and Guinea worm in 2 or 3 villages of Madadakere hobli of the Hosdurga Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water is available for the present. Supply of fodder is getting scarce.

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